

# Emblem Retreat Cost and Registration

The cost is \$90.00 per scout.

The cost of emblem retreat covers two weekends which includes: meals, lodging, activities, emblem and parent pin.

Each scout is expected to purchase his own participant manual which is available at all Scout Shops from BSA Supply <a href="http://www.scoutstuff.org">http://www.scoutstuff.org</a>

Registration is limited

To register go to:

http://2012aadrw-autohome.eventbrite.com/

Event registration closes November 1, 2012 or when all spots have been filled.



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The Ad Altare Dei emblem program is offered through the National Catholic Committee on Scouting (NCCS).

Each diocese has a Catholic Committee on Scouting which oversees the emblem programs for all scouts; Cub, Boy, Venture, Girl and American Heritage Girls.

## Eligibility for Ad Altare Dei Emblem

- Must be a registered Boy Scout of Catholic faith.
- Has been baptized in the Catholic faith.
- Has been an active member of his Troop /Crew for 6 months.
- Must be 13 or 14 years old or has completed 6<sup>th</sup> grade. [older scouts may use this program but cannot be 18 or older].

#### **ENCOURAGED:**

Must practice their faith through Faith Formation or Religious Education within parish and attend Mass <u>regularly</u> with at least one parent. The Ad Altare Dei Emblem Retreat is a two weekend retreat. Scouts must be able to commit to both weekends to attend.

#### The retreat will be held:

- 1<sup>st</sup> weekend November 9-11, 2012
- 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend
   January 11-13, 2013

at Kiwanis Scout Camp
Marine on St Croix, MN
<a href="http://www.northernstarbsa.org/Camping/Fa">http://www.northernstarbsa.org/Camping/Fa</a>
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The AAD emblem program covers the seven sacraments and a scout's relationship with God and Scouting.

Over the two weekends the scout will explore each sacrament.

# Each scout is expected to purchase their own Ad Altare Dei workbook



Emblem Activity Books may purchased through any Scout Shop Or through BSA Supply http://www.scoutstuff.org

Cost: around \$5.00

In the front of the workbook there is a form in which <u>a scout must obtain</u> <u>five signatures.</u> He <u>must obtain four</u> of the five before coming to the retreat:

- Scout's signature
- Parents signature
- Scoutmaster's signature
- Pastor's signature
- \*Scout will get Counselor signature at the retreat.

Between the two weekends scouts will have several service projects they will need to complete before returning for 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend.

Mass will be part of both weekends.

On Saturday evening and Sunday morning of the 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend each scout will attend a Board of Review.

The scout will be presented his emblem, with all Boy & Girl Scouts, who have earned their emblems at a Mass in April of 2013 at St. Mary's Basilica in Minneapolis.

For more information contact the Retreat Director at addemblemretreat@gmail.com